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SUMMARY OF UNOFFICIAL FIGURES APPEARING IN KARACHI PRESS RECENTLY REGARDING REPATRIATION FLIGHTS SUGGESTS THAT BENGALEES ARE LEAVING KARACHI IN NEARLY THREE TIMES THE NUMBER AS NON-BENGALIS ARE ARRIVING HERE. RECAPITULATION OF PRESS REPORTS FOR PERIOD OCTOBER 6 THRU OCTOBER 17/18 SHOWS 3,485 BENGALEES LEFT KARACHI AND 1,254 NON-BENGALEES ARRIVED ON RETURN FLIGHTS IN SAME PERIOD. ROUND-TRIP FLIGHTS KARACHI/DACCA DURING THIS PERIOD AVERAGED TWO OR THREE A DAY, BUT EXACT REPORTING BY DATE COMPLICATED BY FACT FLIGHTS DEPARTING ONE DAY SOMETIMES DO NOT COMPLETE ROUND-TRIP UNTIL EARLY MORNING NEXT DAY.

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